No. E. 3318-Edn. 94-31-25, dated 20th February 1932.

Mr. Ameer Ahmed, Contractor, Shimoga, is re-nominated as a member of the School Board, Shimoga District.

No. G. 6740-G. M. 15-31-52, dated 22nd February 1932.

The accompanying Press Communique dated the 16th December 1981, issued by the Government of India, Department of Education, Health and Lands r_2 . Haj Pilgrimage is published for general information.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, HEALTH AND LANDS NEW DELHI, THE 16TH DECEMBER 1931.

Communique.

The Government of India have been in communication with Messrs. Turner, Morrison and Co., Limited, Bombay, on the subject of the fares for deck passages without food for the ensuing pilgrim season and the sum to be specified in pursuance of clause (b) of section 208A of the Indian Morchant Shipping Act, 1923, as the amount of the deposit for the purpose of defraying the cost of a return ticket in the case of pilgrims proceeding to the Hejaz from the ports of Bombay, Karachi and Calcutta. They are now pleased to announce that the shipping company have agreed to continue during the ensuing pilgrim season the reduced deck fares which remained in force throughout the last pilgrim season, except that a further reduction has been made in the return deck fare, without feed, for pilgrims sailing from Calcutta. The fares for deck passages without food which Messrs. Turner, Morrison and Co., have accordingly fixed for the ensuing pilgrim season are as under:—

| | Single deck passage without food | Return deck passage without food |
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| 5 | Rs. | $\mathbf{R}\mathbf{s}$. |
| For pilgrims sailing from either Bombay or Karachi. | 110 | 160 |
| For pilgrims sailing from Calcutta | 135 | 20 <i>5</i> |

2. The Government of India are also pleased to amounce that they have decided to reduce the sum to be deposited by a pilgrim for the purpose of defraying the cost of a return ticket from Rs. 70 to Rs. 50 in the case of pilgrims sailing from either Bombay or Karachi, and from Rs. 90 to Rs. 70 in the case of those sailing from Calcutta.

By Order,

R. Ranga Rao, Secretary.to Government, General Department

FINANCIAL SECRETARIAT.

No. Fi. 6633-Ex. 79-31-2, dated 20th February 1932.

Under sections 16 and 29 of the Mysore Excise Regulation, V of 1901, as amended from time to time and in exercise of all other powers enabling them in this behalf, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are pleased to further amend the rules regulating the sales of Excise privileges issued in Notification No. Fl. 5515—Ex. 78-29-2, dated 17th February 1930 and amended in Notification No. Fl. 6587—Ex. 70-30-2, dated 23rd February 1931, as follows:—

1. In Note 2 to condition 3 of sub-section II of Section 1 under the heading "Conditions of Auction Sale" substitute the words "wherever possible" for the word "invariably"

occurring in line 2 thereof.

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- 2. In condition 19 of the same sub-section remove the full stop at the end of first sentence and add the following "but in the case of toddy shops a sum not exceeding one month's rental may at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner, be retained for a period of three months after the close of the lease to facilitate the adjustment of any sum that may be found due on account of the penalty on date trees found dead by over tapping or careless tapping".
- 8. For condition 1 of sub-section III under the heading "General conditions applicable to all Excise and Opium Licenses" substitute the following:—
- "I. Shops must be kept open every day from 1st July or in the case of toddy shops in malnad areas from such subsequent dates as may be fixed by the Deputy Commissioner, with the previous approval of the Excise Commissioner, unless their temporary or permanent closure is authorised under conditions 8, 9, 10 or 41 intra".

- 4. In condition 3 of the same sub-section for the words "and shall not be more than four feet raised from the ground" occurring in line 10, substitute "and the height of the bar shall not be more than three feet from the ground."
- shall not be more than three feet from the ground."

 5. Add the following as conditions 17 (VII a) after condition 17 (VII) of sub-section.

 V under the heading "Conditions applicable to toddy licenses":—

"VII (a). The licensees are required to return on demand by Excise Officers all transport permits on the expiry of the period mentioned therein."

"6. Insert the words "and the Kolar Gold Fields Area" between the words "Mysore Gity" and "Except" in Note 2 to condition 8 of sub-section III of Section I, under the heading General Conditions."

No. Fl. 6669-Ex. 7-31-18, dated 22nd-23rd February 1932.

It is hereby notified for general information that Messrs. Thathi Reddy and Ganganna, have been elected from the newly constituted Municipal Council as members of the Chintamani Excise Licensing Board.

By Order,
B. Srinivasa Ivendar,
Financial Secretary to Government.

OFFICE OF THE EX-OFFICIO SECRETARY, REPRESENTATIVE ASSEMBLY AND LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Official Memorandum No. Rl. 3411-28-R. A., dated 18th February 1932,

In pursuance of Rules 24, 34 and 46 of the Rules published with Notification No. P. 3039—Legis. 12-23-9, dated 8th December 1928, and Rule 32A published with Notification No. Rel. 231—R. A. 26-30-1, dated 7th January 1931, the following instructions are issued for the ensuing Budget Session of the Representative Assembly which commences on the 6th June 1932:—

- (i) Before 25th March 1932.—The members of the Representative Assembly residing in each district including those representing Minorities and Special Interests will send to the Deputy Commissioner of the District concerned a list of subjects which they wish to bring forward for consideration at the Session, with explanatory memoranda, as also lists o questions which they wish to ask and resolutions which they wish to move. No subjects, f questions or resolutions received after that date will be accepted.
- (ii) On or before 11th April 1932.—The Deputy Commissioner of each District will hold a meeting of all the members in the District at the District Headquarters at which the several representations, questions and resolutions sent up by the members will be considered and a selection made as directed in Rules 24, 32A, 34 and 46 of the Rules referred to above.
- (iii) The number of questions, resolutions and representations selected shall not exceed the limit fixed by Government in Rules 23, 33 and 45 of the Rules referred to above. They should be confined to a single subject, should not be of a controversial nature and should be briefly worded. The attention of the Deputy Commissioners is invited in this connection to this office circular No. 4750-7, dated 14th May 1930. Resolutions, representations and questions as selected will be compiled by the Deputy Commissioners and five typed copies thereof sent with their remarks to the *Ex-officio* Secretary, Representative Assembly, not later than the 22nd April 1932 (Friday), in the form prescribed in Official Memorandum No. 8-16, dated 4th March 1924.
- (iv) Additional questions, resolutions and representations, if any, on behalf of Minorities and Special Interests, under Rules 24A, 34A and 47 should reach the Office of the Ex-officio Secretary, Representative Assembly, not later than the 22nd April 1932.

The representations, questions and resolutions proposed by the members of the Representative Assembly representing the Mysore University Special Interest should also reach the Ex-officio Secretary, Representative Assembly, through the Registrar, Mysore University, not later than 22nd April 1932.

By Order,
C. Subrahmanya Aiyar,
Ex-officio Secretary,
Mysore Legislative Council.